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Grant Funding Synopses XML Format

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## Record Of Changes

Version Number	Date of Change	Section	Description of Change	Made by
0.1	02/06/2006	All	Initial Draft	David Wong
1.0	09/07/2006	2 Field Sizes	Modified the field sizes for the following fields: PostDate, FundingInstrumentType, FundingActivityCategory, FundingOppTitle, FundingOppNumber, ApplicationsDueDate, ApplicationsDueDateExplanation, ArchiveDate, Agency, FundingOppDescription, CFDANumber, EligibilityCategory, AdditionalEligibilityInfo, CostSharing, AgencyContact, AgencyEmailAddress and AgencyEmailDescriptor	Melissa Bright Lemmond
1.1	09/19/2006	2 Field Sizes	Changed field size for FundingOppNumber from 30 to 40.	Melissa Bright Lemmond
1.2	09/27/2006	2 Field Sizes  3 Field Values	Changed Maximum size for UserID and Password to 4 characters.  Added new section to identify coded values and other possible field values.	Melissa Bright Lemmond

## 1. DTD

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<?xml encoding="US-ASCII"?>
<!ELEMENT PostDate (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT UserID (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT Password (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT FundingInstrumentType (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT FundingActivityCategory (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT OtherCategoryExplanation (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT NumberOfAwards (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT EstimatedFunding (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT AwardCeiling (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT AwardFloor (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT AgencyMailingAddress (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT FundingOppTitle (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT FundingOppNumber (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT ApplicationsDueDate (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT ApplicationsDueDateExplanation (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT ArchiveDate (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT Location (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT Office (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT Agency (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT FundingOppDescription (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT CFDANumber (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT EligibilityCategory (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT AdditionalEligibilityInfo (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT CostSharing (#PCDATA)>
<!ELEMENT ObtainFundingOppText (#PCDATA)>
<!ATTLIST ObtainFundingOppText
    FundingOppURL CDATA #IMPLIED
>
<!ELEMENT AgencyContact (#PCDATA)>
<!ATTLIST AgencyContact
    AgencyEmailAddress CDATA #REQUIRED
    AgencyEmailDescriptor CDATA #IMPLIED
>
<!ELEMENT ModificationNumber (#PCDATA)>

<!-- Funding Opportunity Synopsis Elements -->

<!ELEMENT FundingOppSynopsis (PostDate, UserID, Password,
FundingInstrumentType+, FundingActivityCategory+,
OtherCategoryExplanation, NumberOfAwards, EstimatedFunding, AwardCeiling,
AwardFloor, AgencyMailingAddress?, FundingOppTitle, FundingOppNumber?,
ApplicationsDueDate?, ApplicationsDueDateExplanation?, ArchiveDate?,
Location, Office, Agency, FundingOppDescription, CFDANumber+,
EligibilityCategory+, AdditionalEligibilityInfo, CostSharing,
ObtainFundingOppText, AgencyContact+)>

<!ELEMENT FundingOppModSynopsis (PostDate, ModificationNumber, UserID,
Password, FundingInstrumentType+, FundingActivityCategory+,
OtherCategoryExplanation, NumberOfAwards, EstimatedFunding, AwardCeiling,
AwardFloor, AgencyMailingAddress?, FundingOppTitle, FundingOppNumber,
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ApplicationsDueDate?, ApplicationsDueDateExplanation?, ArchiveDate?,  
Location, Office, Agency, FundingOppDescription, CFDANumber+,  
EligibilityCategory+, AdditionalEligibilityInfo, CostSharing,  
ObtainFundingOppText, AgencyContact+)>  
<!ELEMENT Grants (FundingOppSynopsis*, FundingOppModSynopsis*)>
```

## 2. Field Sizes

Field	Maximum size
PostDate	8 Format: MMDDYYYY
UserID	4 characters
Password	4 characters
FundingInstrumentType	2 characters
FundingActivityCategory	3 characters
OtherCategoryExplanation	2500 characters
NumberOfAwards	15 characters
EstimatedFunding	15 characters
AwardCeiling	15 characters
AwardFloor	15 characters
AgencyMailingAddress	250 characters
FundingOppTitle	250 characters
FundingOppNumber	40 characters
ApplicationsDueDate	8 Format: MMDDYYYY
ApplicationsDueDateExplanation	250 characters
ArchiveDate	8 Format: MMDDYYYY
Location	240 characters
Office	240 characters
Agency	250 characters
FundingOppDescription	18,000 characters
CFDANumber	6 characters
EligibilityCategory	2 characters
AdditionalEligibilityInfo	2500 characters
CostSharing	1 character
ObtainFundingOppText	250 characters
FundingOppURL	250 characters
AgencyContact	300 characters
AgencyEmailAddress	80 characters
AgencyEmailDescriptor	100 characters
ModificationNumber	Number with a precision of 20

### 3. Field Values

**PostDate**

A date or has a value of "None"

**UserID**

Always has the value of "None"

**Password**

Always has the value of "None"

**FundingInstrumentType**

Always has a coded value. The following list identifies the meaning of the coded values for the FundingInstrumentType data element.

G = Grant

CA = Cooperative Agreement

O = Other

PC = Procurement Contract

**FundingActivityCategory**

Always has a coded value. The following list identifies the meaning of the coded values for the FundingActivityCategory data element.

AG = Agriculture

AR = Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

BC = Business and Commerce

CD = Community Development

CP = Consumer Protection

DPR = Disaster Prevention and Relief

ED = Education

ELT = Employment, Labor and Training

EN = Energy

ENV = Environment

FN = Food and Nutrition

HL = Health

HO = Housing

HU = Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

ISS = Income Security and Social Services

IS = Information and Statistics

LJL = Law, Justice and Legal Services

NR = Natural Resources

RD = Regional Development

ST = Science and Technology and other Research and Development

T = Transportation

O = Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

**OtherCategoryExplanation**

Some text or has a value of "Not Available"

**NumberOfAwards**

Some text or has a value of "Not Available"

**EstimatedFunding**

Some text or has a value of "Not Available"

**AwardCeiling**

A number or has a value of "None"

**AwardFloor**

A number or has a value of "None"

**AgencyMailingAddress**

Some text or blank if no value

**FundingOppTitle**

Some text or has a value of "Not Available"

**FundingOppNumber**

Some text or blank if no value

**ApplicationsDueDate**

Some text or blank if no value

**ApplicationsDueDateExplanation**

Some text or blank if no value

**ArchiveDate**

A date or blank if no value

**Location**

Some text or has a value of "None"

**Office**

Some text or has a value of "None"

**Agency**

Some text or has a value of "None"

**FundingOppDescription**

Some text or has a value of "Not Available"

**CFDANumber**

Either ##.### where # is a number or has a value of "000000"



**EligibilityCategory**

Always has a coded value. The following list identifies the meaning of the coded values for the EligibilityCategory data element.

99 = Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity below), subject to any clarification in text field entitled “Additional Information on Eligibility”

*Government codes:*

- 00 = State governments
- 01 = County governments
- 02 = City or township governments
- 04 = Special district governments
- 05 = Independent school districts
- 06 = Public and State controlled institutions of higher education
- 07 = Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
- 08 = Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

*Non-Government organizations:*

- 11 = Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)
- 12 = Nonprofits having a 501 (c) (3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- 13 = Nonprofits that do not have a 501 (c) (3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- 20 = Private institutions of higher education
- 21 = Individuals
- 22 = For-profit organizations other than small businesses
- 23 = Small businesses
- 25 = Others (see text field entitled “Additional Information on Eligibility” for clarification.)

**AdditionalEligibilityInfo**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

**CostSharing**

Always has a coded value. The following list identifies the meaning of the coded values for the CostSharing data element.

Y = Yes

N = No

**ObtainFundingOppText**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

**FundingOppURL**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

**AgencyContact**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

**AgencyEmailAddress**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

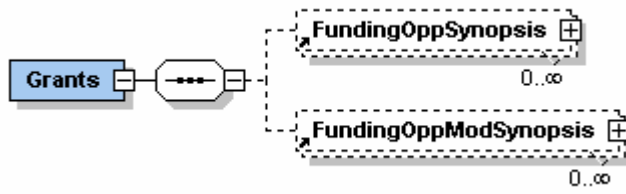
**AgencyEmailDescriptor**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

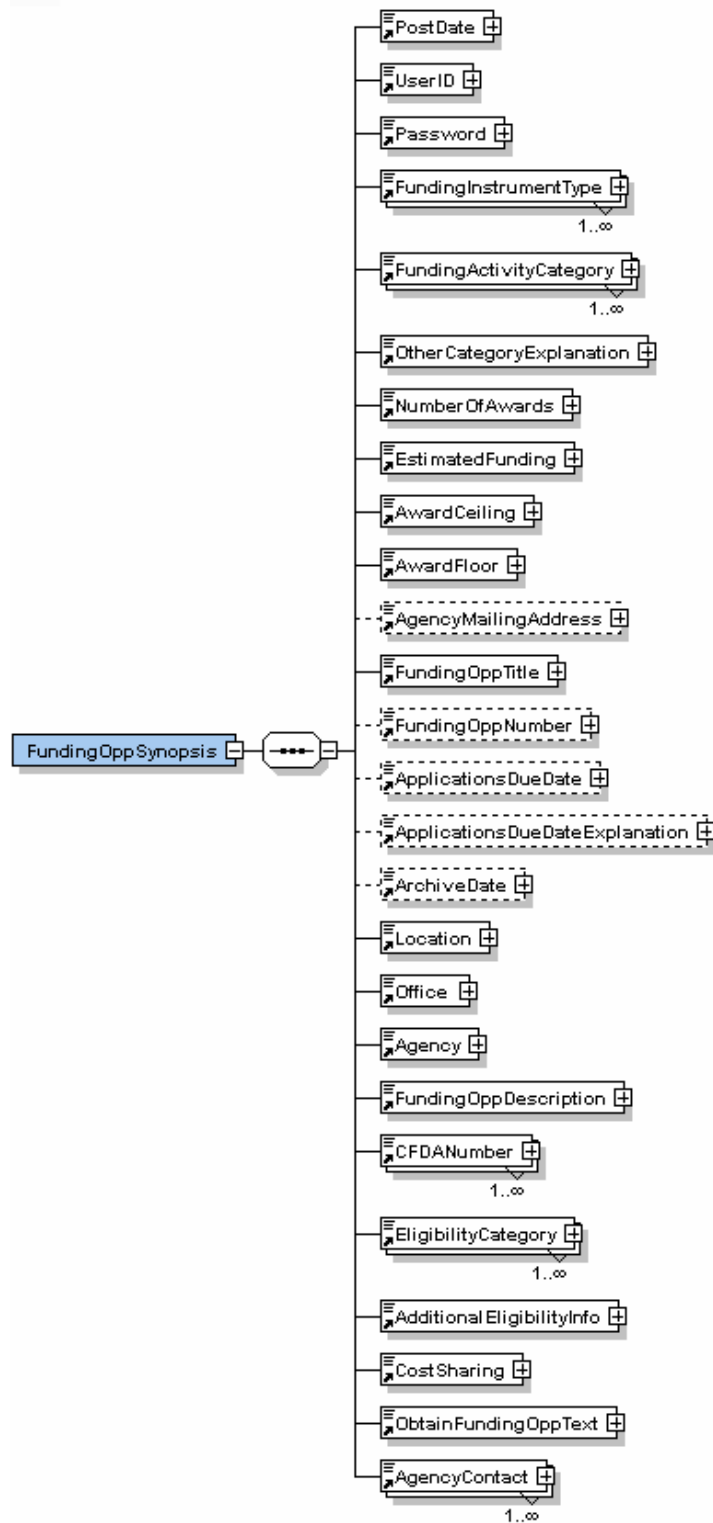
**ModificationNumber**

Some text or has a value of “Not Available”

## 4. Grants Element



## 5. FundingOppSynopsis Element



## 6. FundingModSynopsis Element

